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Case 5922R2C3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of :
PETER W. HAMILTON ET AL. :
Serial No.: 09/716,740 : Group Art Unit:
Filed: November 20, 2000 : Examiner:

For: IMPROVED STORAGE WRAP MATERIAL
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Claims

The claims as originally filed were misnumbered. Please amend the original claims to be consecutively numbered from 1 to 37. Applicants have attached hereto an Appendix setting forth the renumbered claims for convenience.

Claim 6, line 1, please delete the second occurrence of "wherein".

Please add new claims 38-79.

38. A storage wrap material comprising: a sheet of material having a first side and a second side, said sheet of material having a gauge in the range from about 0.0001 inches to about 0.002 inches, said first side comprising an active side exhibiting an adhesion peel force after activation by a user that is greater than an adhesion peel force exhibited prior to activation by a user, wherein said sheet of material is linerless, such that activation of said active side requires no removal of components of said sheet of material, said sheet of material being sufficiently flexible to conform readily to a desired surface and having sufficiently small resiliency that it does not exert undue restorative forces that would tend to cause said sheet of material to break contact with such a desired surface.